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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, EG

SUBJECT:NAJ HAMMADI ALUMINUM COMPLEX

1. OFFICIAL OF KAISER ALUMINUM SAW ITEM IN INDUSTRY NEWS PUBLICATION IN EARLY JANUARY INDICATING THAT ASST. SEC. OF TREASURY PARSKY HAD BEEN ASKED BY EGYPTIANS DURING HIS VISIT IF U.S. COMPANY COULD TAKE OVER SUBJECT PROJECT. PARSKY'S OFFICE IS UNAWARE OF SUCH REQUEST RELATING TO NAJ HAMMADI COMPLEX.

2. REQUEST EMBASSY ASCERTAIN WHETHER EGYPTIANS ARE SEEKING NO-SOVIET PARTICIPATION IN PROJECT. ALSO WOULD APPRECIATE CURRENT STATUS REPORT, INCLUDING HOW MUCH OF PLANT IS IN OPERATION, ETC. LATEST INFO AVAILABLE IN WASHINGTON, DATED FEBRUARY 1975, INDICATES SOVIETS PLANNING OUTPUT EXPANSION OF 66,000 TON PER YEAR. KISSINGER

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